Cutler Bay Charter Review

Members of the Town of Cutler Bay's Charter Revision Commission have been meeting since December 14, 2011 to review the town's charter and vote on potential changes. Once completed, the commission will present its recommendations to the town council for consideration. Final approval on any amendments to the charter lies with the voters. The commission is hoping to conclude its work by the end of March 2012; therefore, any amendment can be placed on an election ballot in conjunction with Miami-Dade County's on November 6, 2012 ballot for approval by the electorate.

Residents can review a copy of the existing charter by visiting the town's website at www.cutlerbay-fl.gov. and clicking on the link on the left-side on the page. The agenda and meeting schedule is available on the right side of the main page of the website, along with a running list of potential changes that have been discussed and voted on by the commission. The list; however, is subject to change as new ideas and public comments are received.

Cutler Bay residents are encouraged to review the charter and send any suggestions for change to the town clerk at ecoulson@cutlerbay-fl.gov for distribution to the members of the commission. The commission members include: Barbara Condon, Chair; Terry Long, Vice Chair, Tim Meerbott, Dennis Peterson, Ed Wolmers, and Councilmember Peggy Bell as a non-voting member.

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, February 16, 2012 from 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm. in the council chambers of town hall. Town hall is located at 10720 Caribbean Boulevard. For more information please telephone 305-234-4262.